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Note Sheet No. 15.

November 15th, 1944.

ADAM FOREPAUGH --- SELLS BROS. COMBINED

PARADE LINEUP - SEASON OF 1904

Fife and Drum Corps on foot

Troup of mounted men in uniforms showing different dress

used by U.S. Army since 1776.

Ten-horse Band Chariot Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau

Six-horse Tableau

Eight-horse tableau wagon with band of Hungarian Magyars

in native costume

Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau Six-horse Tableau

Eight-horse band Chariot

Mounted troop of International Cavalry containing re-

presentatives of every nation on earth with flags.

Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau

Eight-horse tableau containing Queen and her retinue

Nineteen elephants with East Indian trappings.

Twenty camels with riders

Ten-pony tableau Tableau "Godess of Liberty" - six horses

Four-horse Tableau

Four-horse Tableau

Ten-horse Band Chariot

Troop of female Cavalry in gorgeous costumes.

Four-horse Roman Chariot, female driver

Four-horse Roman Chariot, female driver

Four-pony tableau

Tandem team of cake walking horses drawing a dog cart

driven by lady.

Two tandem teams driven by ladies

Eight-horse tableau

Four-horse tableau

Four-horse tableau

Four-horse tableau

Four-horse tableau

Four-horse tableau

Two clown carts drawn by ponies

Eight-horse tableau, clown band Open den of lions with trainer

Four-horse open den, lions with trainer

Six-horse - open den of lions

Six-horse - open den of Polar bears

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Six-horse tableau

Ten-horse Hippopotamus Den

Six-horse Calliope

Hay Wagon (trampoline) with Clown acrobats.

Sent in through courtesy of A. Morton Smith CHS

Editor's note: We cannot help but feel when we type out such lists as above - that something is missing from them. Instead of the listing as "Four-Horse-Tableau" - what a thrill it would be to give a description of the design of wagon itself, and thus give to our readers a word picture of these wonderful old parades! This is one reason why we, as Circus Historians and collectors, should keep a detailed description of the parades of recent years, so that future circus collectors will be able to enjoy parade descriptions which many of our members are now preparing.

CUMMIN'S REAL WILD WEST SHOW

from information supplied by D.C. Hawn to Robert Sams, C. H. S.

This show was built in Geneva, Ohio, Season 1906. Walter L. Main's Winterquarters. Fred T. Cummins, Sig Sautelle and Walter L. Main original owners. Later owned by Walter L. Main, Fred. T. Cummins and Attorney A.C. Frunkey, Geneva, Ohio.

W.E. Ferguson, General Agent, along with W.W. Powers; Superintendent, D.C. Hawn; Master Mechanic, Eugene Woodworth; Ross Canvasmen - Chas. "Chuck" Connors and Frank Howard; Assistant, Red Lucas; Boss Hostler, Chas. Saunders with assistant Barney Shortwell; Side Show Manager, James Beaty; Side Show Canvas - Frank Morrisey; Ticket Sellers, John Barton, Thos. Fanning, Wm. Barke; Pit Show Manager, Bill McDonald; 24-hour-man Henry Pullman; Boss of Elephants - Bobbie Tyler; Boss of Animals - Nosey Monroe; Ammunitions Wagon - June Wilson; Steward and Cook house Manager - Howman Damon; P.A. Sam Banks - Treasurer; W.W. Powers - Indian Interpreter in Charge of Wm. Penney (30 Sioux Indians); Boss property man James Rafferty; Wild Animal Trainer - Dutch Alber with 14 mixed cats, etc., Tigers, Puma, Leopards and Great Dane Dogs.

Fire Show (Hales Fire Fighters carried 3 pieces used all in parade, horse drawn Vehicles; - Manager Voris Lights - Curtis Ruchort; Arena Director - Fred Collier; Legal Adjuster Frank Hennessey; Assistant Adjuster - G.T. McCarty; Trainmaster - Harry Parrish and Eugene Woodworth; Harness Maker Waxey Olson and Ring Stock Superintendent, Buggy Stump.

Cowboys - W.W. Dillingham, Col. Lynch - Mexican Joe Harry Carey - TOM MIX (Note: This was not Tom Mix's first show as he had previously appeared with Miller Bros. 101 Ranch).

A Company of United States Soldiers in high hurdle maneouvers twice daily led by Fred. Collier and Col. Bill Prickert.

Cowgirls - Anna Chalper, Tulsa Parr, Calamity Jane, Princess Winona, Machel Kline and Blonde Reed.

Band Leader - William Atterbury.

TRAIN EQUIPMENT consisted of: One Private Car for Walter J. Main, and Fred. T. Cummins; 4 Wild West and Indian Cars; 2 working men cars; stock and elephant cars and 15 flats; 2 advertising cars ahead - with Paul Harrell in Charge of Car No. 1 and No. 2 Advance car in charge of Emory Profit.

SPECIAL NOTE TO MEMBERS!

The success of the two previous "Christmas Issues" of the Bandwagon is well known to all members, thanks to the splendid co-operation of you all. We wish to mention again that we want to get the Christmas issue into the mail ahead of time so that it will not get mixed up with the heavy mail at that time of the year.

Therefore we would ask that all copy for ads and greetings be sent to us not later than the end of November or first day or two of December at latest! Last year a number of our members used the Bandwagon columns for a special greeting to fellow members and collectors. We are looking forward to an even greater number doing so this year. This is a nice way to show your friends that you are thinking of them at that time of the year. And it is economical too!

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